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Ladies Fine Voile Waists from \$2.00 to \$4.00. Child's Rompers, in blue, grey, and brown at 75 cts. Do not forget we carry the Lillian Corset, Call and see our stock of Gingham, Prints, and Crepe cloth. We have a big stock to choose from and at prices below market value.

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E. C. STATA, Manager.

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### Hot Weather Necessities

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## Oyen Hardware Co., Ltd.

John Patterson, Managing Director.

## Local Items

For sale—Two second hand Ford touring cars and one runabout, all in good condition. Also one buggy as good as new.—Peterson Motor Co.

Mrs. Loucks and Miss Eva Peterson spent a few days in Calgary last week.

According to information received, Sargent "Bossy" Acheson, who left with the 17th Butte, has been wounded while on active service. The nature of wounds are not known.

Miss Hunter of Saskatoon is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. P. Barbour.

Holland Canada Mortgage Co. Money to loan on improved farms at a rate of eight per cent. F. C. McClean, barrister, agent for the Oyen district.

For careful and up-to-date dental work see Dr. Taylor, at Alaska. Go any day.

Mrs. Felix Henley left last Friday for Saskatoon where she will visit relatives.

A Veterinary hospital has been erected in Oyen by Dr. J. P. Kerr. This is a much needed asset to this district and should be highly appreciated by the farming community. It is Dr. Kerr's intention that instead of having to make several long trips to attend to a sick animal, it can now be brought to the hospital where the animal will receive every care and proper medical attention, which may mean in a good many cases, the saving of an animal's life, and a financial saving to the farmer.

The Sunday school picnic held last Friday afternoon and evening, under the auspices of the Methodist church, proved to be a decided success. The day was an ideal one and every one thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

A grand wrestling match will be staged in Oyen on the Fair day Aug. 14th, when E. M. Conner, holder of the light heavy weight championship of Canada will wrestle with Ernie May of Young, Sask. Mr. Conner is the prime mover in arranging this match, and deserves great credit for his public spirit.

Oyen Agricultural Fair will be held on Monday and Tuesday, August 13th and 14th.

House and lot on second ave. and a four room house on Main street south for sale.—P. H. Peterson.

The terrific wind storm that swept over Oyen last Wednesday evening blew over the barn and other outbuildings belonging to Simon Oyon.

Miss Smith has accepted a position as stenographer with J. J. Kelly, Barrister.

Miss McIntosh returned last Monday from Saskatoon where she has been spending a couple of weeks vacation.

Mrs. Faulkner, daughter, who have been spending six weeks with the former's sister Mrs. L. C. Michaels of Baul, returned to their home in Eugene, Oregon, on Tuesday morning.

S. B. Lawrence sold two threshing outfits this week. A Sawyer-Masie steam outfit to W. S. Hoover of Myleen, and a steam outfit to J. R. McLeod of Excal.

## R.M. of Golden Center

### Minutes of Regular Meeting

The 7th meeting of Council (L.M. of Golden Center No. 272) was held at L. C. Michaels' on Sat. July 7th, 1917.

Members all present except Councillor Wilson.

Minutes read and confirmed. Correspondence read and disposed of.

Geo. Harris was advised would grade division as soon as grading outfit was in his ward.

Sec. was instructed to inquire of Dept. if it is our power to make diversions around sloughs and let down fences till it is possible to grade same.

Dept. of Public Works was requested to re-survey west of 2nd and also division on the south side of N. 1 15 and 16 20 35 and east of 16 and N.E. 30 30 5.

J. A. McColl, M.P., was advised would fix levy for Patriotic Tax same as other municipalities. Extent of \$25000.00.

Mr. Monsoes was advised, Penalty for Injuring Public Work.

The Alta. School Supply Co. was asked to make Poundkeeper's bonds cover faithful performance of duties as well as safety of friends.

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## This Week We Are Showing a Special Line Of Dishes!

Five Beautiful 58 piece sets from \$12.50 to \$20.00. See them in our window.

## Robinhood Flour

Again scores a clean sweep at the Calgary Exhibition.

This year as usual the prize winning loaves of bread at the Fair were baked with Robin Hood Flour.

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## Big Savings in Clothing At Johnston's

### Suits \$14.65

Men's Tweed Suits, 3 piece styles, in colors of Navy and Brown mixtures. Reg. \$17.50 to \$22.50 for \$14.65

### \$5.75 Boots \$4.65

Men's Elk Boots in tan or black, size 6 to 11. This is worth while investigating. Regular \$5.75 for \$4.65

### High Top Boots \$7.90

Men's High Top Boots made of good quality Elk, Vented soles, 14th tops. Regular \$10.00 for \$7.90

### Felt Hats \$1.50

A fresh shipment of this year's Felt Hats worth \$2.50 to \$3.00, all sizes. While they last \$1.50

## Free Guessing Contest

### \$2.25 Gloves \$1.50

Genuine Horsehide Gunbelt Gloves Regular \$2.00 and \$2.25. Special \$1.50

### Straw Hats 1-3 off

Men's Soft and Stiff Straw Hats, new shapes, Regular \$1.00 to \$3.00 at 1-3 off.

## Win a Victrola

We are giving away absolutely free 100 Victrola and 12 records to the person making the nearest guess of beans placed in Jar, on display in Show window value of Victrola and records \$115.00

## Do You Know Beans?

If so, you can win a Victrola as first prize, a \$25.00 Suit as second prize and one pair \$8.00 Boots as third prize. One guess free with every \$20.00 sale. Our Prices are absolutely right. This is a get acquainted sale, it will be worth your while to see me about Beans.

**E. P. JOHNSTON,**

Clothier

Art Fry, Manager







## Manuring Market Garden Crops

A little brochure has just been issued by the Agricultural Department at Ottawa, and that can be had free by addressing the Publications Branch of the Department, for which, at a time when universal attention is being paid to vegetable gardening, there should be a large demand. It is entitled "The Manuring of Market Garden Crops, with special reference to the Use of Fertilizers" has for its authors Frank T. Shutt, M. A., D. Sc., Dominion Chemist and B. Leslie Embley, C. D., & F. C. S., and is Bulletin No. 32 (Second Series) of the Division of Chemistry. As the title suggests, the bulletin is intended mainly for the information of market gardeners, but seeing that the rules for the cultivation of the soil and the seedling and growing of vegetables and plants are common to all, its contents are really of general import, despite the fact, also, that a deal of attention is paid to barnyard manure. "The importance of manure in market gardening can scarcely be over-estimated," the bulletin rightly remarks, adding "Stable manure has been and probably always will be the main standby of the market gardener. From this the Bulletin goes on to tell of the nature and composition of manure and its influence. The nature and use of lime and its compounds next receive attention, followed by a disquisition on commercial fertilizers, their composition and methods of application. In this connection the section devoted to Potassic Fertilizers is especially interesting and valuable. Advice with elaborate tables is given on the value of different fertilizers, and, finally, suggestions to meet the fertilizer requirements of special crops, in which are included all kinds of vegetables and fruits. An appendix gives the results of experiments in fertilization with carrots, turnips, parsnips, celery, onions, tomatoes and peas.

## Hot Weather Playing Have with Crops

The present hot weather and the lack of rain is working havoc with the crops in this district. Crops which were looking fine and would probably have gone 20 bushels to the acre about two weeks ago, are looking very bad now, even if rain does come, it is doubtful whether it will help some fields very much. This condition seems to prevail all along the line from Ilwaco to east of Alaska.

## Is Oyen to Have a New School this Year?

A poll will be opened at the school-house on Thursday, July 26, when votes will be taken from those qualified to vote for or against the raising of four thousand dollars over and above the six thousand already authorized to borrow, for the purchasing of school site and erecting a school. Those interested in the progress of the town should bear this date in mind and turn out to vote.

## THE MARKET

Prices Paid at the Elevators	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	2.14
No. 2	2.12
No. 3	2.10
Flax	2.00
Oats	1.75
Barley	1.00

Mr. J. Nisenth Sr., left yesterday morning for Humboldt on a business trip.

## AGENT WANTED —For— OYEN and District

To Represent—  
Canada's Greatest Nurseries  
Selected list of hardy tested varieties recommended by  
Waters Exports & Sales  
For Manitoba, Saskatchewan and  
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Hybrid Apples, Native Plums,  
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## CLASSIFIED ADS.

IMPOUNDED—In the pound kept by me in Oyen at the Alberta Stables, one grey gelding, six years old, no visible brands, A. Gibson.

STRAYED—On Sec. 35-28-3, Friday, June 22nd, one Bay gelding, white face, weight about 1400 lbs. R. A. Tate, Oyen.

STRAYED—On Section 35-27-3, one black mare and one from grey gelding, weight 1400 to 1500 lbs. Owner can have same by paying expenses. C. M. COOTE, Excel P.O.

LOST—From 12-24, since Friday, June 22nd, a bay gelding, 18 hands high, weight about 1000 lbs. Some white on face, black points, much mane. A suitable reward will be given for information leading to recovery of same. S. Carson, Oyen.

## FOR SALE

FOUR SALE—Five yearling steers, 4 three year olds, fat, one young cow, springing. H. G. Glicker, two miles east of Capen Schoolhouse.

FOR SALE OR RENT—A three roomed dwellinghouse. Apply to—Wm. Atlock, Oyen.

## IMPOUNDED

Notice is hereby given that one Bay Pony, white star on forehead, aged, weight about 800 lbs. No visible brand. Was impounded in the pound kept by the undersigned on the South West 1/4 of 2-28-4 of 14th, on the 2nd day of July, 1917.

MELBOR OYEN,  
Poundkeeper.

## More Home News

Mrs. W. Owens, who has been spending the last month visiting her parents in Annapolis, Ont., returned on Sunday.

The order of Knights of Pythias have organized a new Lodge in Oyen. All former members are welcome to transfer their membership to the Oyen local. For full information apply at Oyen News office.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Kelly accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kelly, left on Tuesday evening for Banff where they will spend a short vacation. They made the trip in the formers car.

Mr. Webster, who has been working in the barber shop the last three months, left this morning for Kerrobert, Sask.

How thoughtless some men are! The other day, while driving his car, one of our prominent citizens had the misfortune to run out of gasoline. This is not the first time Charlie. Don't let it occur again—or else you might have to walk home.

Mr. John Patterson moved into his new residence on Third avenue this week.

Messrs. G. J. Gibson and F. C. McLean motored to Chinook last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Horn, of Oyen, were among the visitors at the Green Mount sports.

At an adjourned court held in Oyen on Tuesday last, O. M. Olson, of Fairacres, was charged with publishing a defamatory libel concerning Joseph Brown of Fairacres. The presiding Justices were Robinson and Snell. The defendant failed to appear but evidence was led in his absence for the complainant. The Justices found the charge proven and fined the defendant \$25 and costs of court which amounted to \$33.00.

## LAND OWNERS AND BUYERS

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Oyen — Alberta

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If you have a farm to sell list with us for quick sale.

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## Oyen News

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All orders receive our prompt attention.

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The Maxwell is Built  
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You may have an idea that perhaps the road conditions which your car must face are more trying than in other sections of the country.

But the fact is that the Maxwell is built especially for your roads—no matter how bad they may be. Before even a single car is passed out by our shops it must stand tests that are many times more stringent than any difficulties you will encounter in your vicinity.

Our tests for reliability and general serviceability are much more efficient than any road test could possibly be. We know—that word is used literally—actually know what the Maxwell is going to do before it leaves our shops.

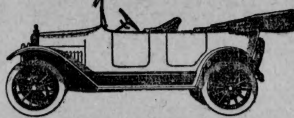
If you could see the large number of drop forgings, the splendid method of heat treating steels, and other features of construction that enter into the building of the Maxwell you would not have any fear regarding its sturdiness.

You may have hills. We know that the Maxwell will climb any hill you may have occasion to go over. You may have mud. The Maxwell is built to stand any possible strain it could be asked to stand in legitimate driving.

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We have one of the best and most up-to-date Billiard Halls in the west.

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Preaching Service 7.30 p.m.  
Sunday School 3.30 p.m.  
Wavy Plain 11 a.m.  
Kirkwall 3.30 p.m.  
Rev. S. D. Webster, Pastor

**Red Cross Work  
Appreciated**

To Members of the Red Cross,  
A few lines in further appreciation of the splendid work of the Red Cross. Also, to those of you who know them, tell what I can of two of our Oyen boys, the only two of whose whereabouts I am aware at this time.  
They are Chas. McMillan and Glover, both of whom were, I believe, employed in the Bank of Toronto.

You may have heard of poor Glover being killed in the "Big Adventure" on Vimy Ridge on April 9th. His body was found some five days later by McMillan. I know this for a fact for Charlie, himself, told me and also that he was given a soldier's burial in the cemetery at Mt. St. Eloy.

As for Charlie, he was in the pink of condition and although he has lost some superfluous flesh and is more spered, he is the same old Charlie.

I also saw Lieut. Fred Scott when I was coming down. The train stopped for a few minutes and, looking out of the window, I saw him and before I thought of the difference of our rank, I called out "Hello Fred", and in two jumps he was at the window shaking my gun off. He was as delighted as I for when two people from home meet in France, the meeting is indeed joyful, regardless of rank, rank doesn't worry Fred anyhow.

To continue about the Red Cross—"The Red Cross with its wonderful organization and far reaching arms, is one of the most necessary branches of service engaged in war work today"

Yes and it is who have been benefited by its presence it has a deeper meaning than that, far deeper than words can tell.

After we had reached England and were on our way to the hospitals, we were met at different stations by Red Cross Nurses, with Red Cross sand,wiches, cakes, tea, etc. When we arrived at the hospital a Red Cross lady came around to the Canadians, took our names and numbers and in a few days a Red Cross kit arrived containing toilet articles, writing paper and, most welcome of all, cigarettes, (these are very scarce at the hospital). We are bandaged with various kinds of bandages and, upon inquiry, find that they have come from the different Red Cross Societies located in all parts of the United Kingdom. We wear Red Cross socks, shirts, knit caps, gloves and all manner of things, in fact, were I to go into detail, it would take pages and also weary you.

So with a hearty "three cheers and a tiger" for "The Friend of the Soldier", the Red Cross, I will close.

With very best wishes to all and very best regards, I am  
Most gratefully,  
Pte. Floyd E. Horn.

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**Weighing from 1250 to 1650 lbs.**

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